

Michelle Duffy DIXON, Lancelot George
RCN Ret'd. 1956-1989, CD11
Revenue Canada Ret'd. 1989-1999
B. B.ADmin, MHA, CHE, CHA

**Peacefully/Suddenly) surrounded by his loving family
at the (name of the institution
or home) on Monday, January 1, 2000 at the age of - - - .**
**Survived by his beloved wife, companion and friend of
4+ years Marjory Dixon (nee Vaillancourt). Loving father of Lance,
Fredericton, NB, and Deborah-Lynn (Bruce) of Ottawa, On.**
**Proud grandfather of Samantha, Kathleen, Lance Jr.,
Kaitlyn and Kendra. Survived by his sister, Mary W. Williams (nee
Dixon)**
of Vancouver BC and brother Vincent W. Dixon of Edmonton, AB.
**He joined the Royal Canadian Navy (RCN) in 1956 at the age of
17 and served faithfully with pride and devotion
until 1989. The majority of what follows is the obituary
he prepared leaving this world as he saw it, "Ready,Aye, Ready"**
**Lance served in many appointments, ashore and afloat, including
HMCS Bonaventure (2 tours), Maritime Command Headquarters,
4 Medical Support Unit, Lahr, West Germany,
Senior Staff Officer/Surgeon General's Staff and DGPCO Ottawa, ON.**
**Lance was proud to have been given the opportunity to
enjoy unique experiences during his military career.**
**He attended CMR/RMC, St. Jean, QC on the
University Training Plan Officers (UTPO).**
**He achieved Certification Level (CHE)
with the Canadian College of Health Service Executives.**
**He was a member of the last class of senior RCN non-
commissioned officers to attend, complete and receive his
comission at RCN Prepratory School in
HMCS Esquimalt in 1968.**
**Lance also had the pleasure to have been the last
Medical Adminitrative Officer (MAO) in the RCN/CAF
to serve in a Canadian Warship (HMCS Bonaventure).**
**After retiring from the RCN/CFMS in 1989 he
accepted other challanges both in the private and public sectors.**
**He became Program Director Education with the
Canadian Hospital Association (CHA), then Director of Technical
Services for a Municipal Home for the Aged and later on
chose his final career with Revenue Canada (now, CRA) as a
Health Care Sector Specialist Policy Officer. Lance finally retired
from the workforce in July 1999.**
**Lance Completed High School in Verdun QC and went on to
further his education by achieving a**

**Baccalureate in Business Administration (B. BAmin.)
Royal Military College (RMC, St. Jean, QC) 1975,
Certificate in Health Administration (CHA)
University of Saskatchewan (1979)
Master Health Care Administration (MHA) University
of Ottawa (1986) and completed the Certification
requirements of the Canadian College of Health Service
Executives (CCHE) in 1984 to
attain the designate, Certified Health Executive (CHE).
Lance's love of the ocean continued after
his retirement from the RCN and Revenue Canada,
he and Marjory enjoyed annual cruises and holidays
in the Caribbean, Alaska, Panama Canal, vacations coast
to coast in Canada.**

**During retirement, Lance volunteered
his time to the Federal Superannuates National
Association (FSNA) as an Tax advisor to its members, Preceptor to
students attending the University of Saskatchewan in health related
programs and to Meals- on- Wheels, he enjoyed
special times with his wife, children, grandchildren, reading,
savouring a glass of wine on the deck. He enjoyed sharing these
things with humour, laughter and kindness.**

**The family wishes to thank all the staff of the xxxxxxxxxxxx
for the compassionate and respectful care provided to a loving
husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather.**

**Private family funeral followed by internment
at the Avoca Cemetery, Avoca, QC.**

***(Perhaps!!! memorial service will be held at Hulse&Playfair etc.
on Ogilvie Road, Ottawa at xxxx PM on January ???????
Family flowers only, In memoration, donations may be
made to the Canadian Cancer or whatever***